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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

This Amendment is responsive to the Non-Final Office Action dated August 16, 2010, and includes the following sections:

Amendments to the Claims beginning on page 2; and Remarks, beginning on page 8.

No fee is believed to be necessary. Should any fee be required, the Commissioner is authorized to charge our Deposit Account No. 06-0029 and notify us of the same.